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Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of Inventor(s): *CJ Paul et al.*

For: **METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR IMPLEMENTING A DIAGNOSTIC OR MAINTENANCE BOOT  
IMAGE OVER A NETWORK CONNECTION**

ASSIGNEE NAME: INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS MACHINES CORPORATION

ASSIGNEE RESIDENCE: ARMONK, NEW YORK

Enclosed are also:

- ☒ 13 Pages of Specification including an Abstract
- ☒ 6 Pages of Claims
- ☒ 3 Sheet(s) of Drawings
- ☒ A Declaration and Power of Attorney
- ☒ Form PTO 1595 and assignment of the invention to IBM Corporation

**CLAIMS AS FILED**

FOR	Number Filed	Number Extra	Rate	Basic Fee (\$740)
Total Claims	27	-20 =	X \$18	= 126. \$
Independent Claims	3	3 = 1	X \$84	= \$
Multiple Dependent Claims	0		X \$280	= \$
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Respectfully,

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